GOVERNMENT RELATIONS COMMITTEE

Council of the County of Maui

Meeting Agenda

December 1, 2003 3:00 p.m. Council Chamber, 8th Floor 200 South High Street, Wailuku, Hawaii

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GR-12(2) MAUI COUNTY LEGISLATIVE PACKAGE (2004 MAUI COUNTY LEGISLATIVE PACKAGE)

DESCRIPTION:

The Committee is in receipt of correspondence dated November 25, 2003, from the Committee Chair, requesting proposals for inclusion in the 2004 Maui County Legislative Package and transmitting the following proposals for the 2004 Maui County Legislative Package:

- a. A proposal allowing the counties to charge and collect an additional fee for issuance, reissuance, or return of a driver's license after a conviction of driving under the influence of intoxicants;
- b. A proposal requiring the State to transfer fines and forfeitures collected for uncontested traffic infractions to the county in which the violations occurred;
- c. A proposal authorizing the counties to increase the maximum fee that may be charged for motor vehicle registration from \$5 to \$10 to defray additional costs relating to abandoned or derelict vehicles:

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d. A proposal requiring motor vehicle insurers to notify the police department in the county in which a vehicle is registered of the cancellation or refusal to renew no-fault insurance;

- e. A proposal increasing from 45 to 75 days the timeframe within which a legislative body must approve or disapprove an affordable housing project under § 201G-118, Hawaii Revised Statutes, and clarify that the expedited deadline for approval or disapproval by the legislative body shall not apply to proposed amendments to a project that has previously been approved; and
- f. A proposal authorizing the counties to establish a general excise tax.

STATUS:

The Committee may consider whether to recommend approval, with or without revisions, of the above-listed proposals for inclusion in the 2004 Maui County Legislative Package. The Committee may also consider other related action.

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